

DRIVE RUSSIANS

FROM MUKDEN.

THE LOSSES REACH 100,000

Seize Russian Stores.

**Dyama Sends Word That the Enemy Are
Beaten at Every Point and Have Begun
Their Retreat—Escape Cut Off Save
by Country Roads or the Pushan Rail-
road—Right Wing of Japanese Army
Driving Russians at Hayonet Point
—8,000 Fall Before Oku's Men Alone
—Kuropatkin Admits That Part of
His Troops Are in Retreat—Nogi, In-
vesting Tieling, Scores a Victory.**

Special CENE Despatches to THE SUN.
LONDON, March 10.—The Tokio correspondent of the *Telegraph* says that Gen. Kuropatkin has been driven out of Fushun and that the Japanese have entered Mukden. It is believed that the Russian central position is surrounded and the army there almost annihilated.
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In a later despatch the correspondent says that he has official authority for the statement that fully 200,000 Russians are involved.

There is a report in the lobbies of the House of Commons that Gen. Kuropatkin has asked for an armistice.

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According to the latest information
out by the General Staff, says the
Petersburg correspondent of the *Times*,
On Oku's advance has been checked.
Kuropatkin's army, it is said in the
Asian capital, has not yet left Mukden,
though it has withdrawn from the Sha
ver to positions on the Hun River.
The whole of Gen. Bilderling's army is
now southwest of Mukden. Gen. Lin-
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southwest of Mukden. Gen. Linch is to the southeast. Gen. Rennemp's cavalry has gone to reinforce the Russians northwest of Mukden. The Russians are terribly exhausted. Many of them have not eaten in two days. Part of the Japanese force from Siningting had to rush Tieling, but had to return south to join in the fighting near Tashichiao.

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RAILROAD TO THE NORTH CUT.
OKIO, March 9.—After severe fighting
the north and northwest of Mukden.
Japanese have cut the railway between
city and Tieling. This news is con-
in a despatch from Gen. Oku's head-
quarters, dated March 8.
The despatch adds that the Russians
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in retreat over the northern roads. On the railroad out, these roads and the railway to Fushun are the only avenues of escape open to them.

OKU'S LEFT COLUMN ENGAGED.

Gen. Oku reports that his left column at Likampo, five miles west of Mukden, had a fierce fight with a Russian force five times its number. The Russian losses were 10,000.

The extreme right wing of the Japanese

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is driving the Russians hard. At
points the pursuit is so determined
the Russians are scattered at the point
of bayonet.

The Russian centre, exposed to a terrible
raving fire, has been practically an-
nihilated.

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The Japanese loss in the battle is estimated thus far at 50,000 men. The slaughter of the Russian armies far exceeds 100,000.

The Japanese dislodged the Russians from Tita, south of Fushan, on the Russian coast, after capturing Manchutan.

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Report received from Field Marshal Oyama from his headquarters in the field, dated to-day, says:
"The enemy is beaten at every point. The Russians commenced to retreat yesterday morning. Our troops are busily pursuing."
A council of war was held this afternoon in the imperial palace, the Emperor being present.

is already beginning the celebration of the victory, and flags are flying everywhere. The Ministry of War is deluged with congratulations.

THE FIGHTING ON TUESDAY.

The day's fighting was described in the bulletins issued by the War Ministry to-day are as follows:

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